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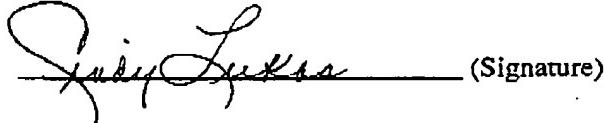
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INTRODUCTORY REMARKS

In response to the Office Action of January 5, 2007, please consider the following remarks and reconsider the application. Any related fees are to be charged to the Assignee's Deposit Account #16-2480.

There are no amendments to the claims herein.

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